

*AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS*

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended) A document filing folder comprising:  
a cover including an anterior sheet and a posterior sheet;  
a binding joining the anterior and posterior sheets; and  
notebook pages securely connected to the binding, wherein a first sheet of the anterior and posterior sheets includes:  
a first flap along one of lower and upper edges of the first sheet, and  
a second flap along a lateral edge of the first sheet, the first and second flaps ~~being foldable each having a first position folded, one on top of the other, towards and away from an interior side of the first sheet for storing and accessing notebook pages that are, respectively, securely linked to the binding, by folding the first and second flaps successively, one on top of the other, toward the interior side of the first sheet, with the notebook pages under the first and second flaps folded towards the interior side of the first sheet, and by unfolding the flaps away from the interior side of the first sheet and notebook pages stored under the first and second flaps, and each having a second position folded away from an interior side of the first sheet, wherein the notebook pages are in storage under the first and second flaps that are both in the first position and the notebook pages are fully accessible from the first and second flaps that are both in the second position.~~

2. (Previously Presented) The filing folder according to claim 1, wherein the first sheet with the flaps is the posterior sheet.

3. (Previously Presented) The filing folder according to claim 1, wherein the binding includes a spiral, enabling the notebook pages to be stored flat against the first sheet with the flaps folded toward the interior side of the first sheet with notebook pages under the first and second flaps.

4. (Previously Presented) The filing folder according to claim 1, comprising closing means for keeping the filing folder closed with the notebook pages between the anterior and posterior sheets, the closing means including a rubber band attached to the first sheet, sliding relative to the first sheet through eyelets, and which can be placed over at least one a corner of a second of the anterior sheet and the posterior sheet, parallel to the binding.

5. (Previously Presented) The filing folder according to claim 1, wherein the first sheet has a third flap and the first and third flaps are respectively located along the lower and upper edges of the first sheet.

6. (Previously Presented) The filing folder according to claim 2, wherein the binding includes a spiral, enabling the notebook pages to be stored flat against the first sheet with the flaps folded toward the interior side of the first sheet with notebook pages under the first and second flaps.

7. (Previously Presented) The filing folder according to claim 2, comprising closing means for keeping the filing folder closed with the notebook pages between the anterior and posterior sheets, the closing means including a rubber band attached to the first sheet, sliding relative to the first sheet through eyelets, and which can be placed over at least one a corner of a second of the anterior sheet and the posterior sheet, parallel to the binding.

8. (Previously Presented) The filing folder according to claim 3, comprising closing means for keeping the filing folder closed with the notebook pages between the anterior and posterior sheets, the closing means including a rubber band attached to the first sheet, sliding relative to the first sheet through eyelets, and which can be placed over at least one a corner of a second of the anterior sheet and the posterior sheet, parallel to the binding.

9. (Previously Presented) The filing folder according to claim 2, wherein the first sheet has a third flap and the first and third flaps are respectively located along the lower and upper edges of the first sheet.

10. (Previously Presented) The filing folder according to claim 3, wherein the first sheet has a third flap and the first and third flaps are respectively located along the lower and upper edges of the first sheet.

11. (Previously Presented) The filing folder according to claim 4, wherein the first sheet has a third flap and the first and third flaps are respectively located along the lower and upper edges of the first sheet.

12. (Currently Amended) A document filing folder comprising:  
a cover including an anterior sheet and a posterior sheet;  
a spiral binding joining the anterior and posterior sheets; and  
notebook pages securely connected to the binding, wherein a first sheet selected from the anterior and posterior sheets includes

first and second flaps respectively located along opposed upper and lower edges of the first sheet, and

a third flap located along a lateral edge of the first sheet, ~~for storing and accessing notebook pages that are securely linked to the binding, the notebook pages being stored by folding the first, second, and third flaps successively, one on top of the other, towards an anterior side of the first sheet, with the notebook pages stored under the first, second, and third flaps folded toward the interior side of the first sheet, and the notebook pages being accessed by unfolding the first, second, and third flaps away from the interior side of the first sheet~~ each of the first, second, and third flaps having a first position folded, successively, towards an interior side of the first sheet, and each of the first, second, and third flaps having a second position folded away from an interior side of the first sheet, wherein the notebook pages are in storage under the first, second, and third flaps that are each in the first position and the notebook pages are accessible from the first, second, and third flaps that are each in the second position.

13. (New) A document filing folder comprising:  
a cover including an interior sheet and a posterior sheet;  
a binding joining the anterior and posterior sheets; and

notebook pages securely connected to the binding, wherein a first sheet of the anterior and posterior sheets includes

a first flap along one of lower and upper edges of the first sheet, and

a second flap along a lateral edge of the first sheet, the first and second flaps each having a first position folded, one on top of the other, towards an interior side of the first sheet, and each having a second position folded away from an interior side of the first sheet, wherein a first portion of the notebook pages are in storage under the first and second flaps that are both in the first position and a second portion of the notebook pages are accessible and are positioned above the first portion of the notebook pages and above the first and second flaps that are both in the first position and the first portion of the notebook pages is accessible from the first and second flaps that are both in the second position.